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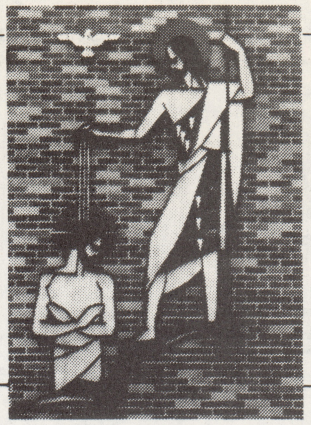


Just A Word...

by Fr. Harvey

Pastoral Team Work Week
August 10-14

The realization that "Team Week" is upon us signals that the days of real summer are numbered and that a new year of challenge for our parish community looms more proximate on the horizon.

For the past five years, the members of St. John's Pastoral Team have retreated for a brief time of planning and prayer prior to the beginning of a new "season." Sister Ann, Sister Carol and Sister Sheila along with Fr. Jerry and myself will head for the Binder family cottage on Whitmore Lake Sunday afternoon and will remain there until Thursday. On Sunday afternoon at 5:00 P.M., we will be joined by the members of the Parish Council. Together, we will try to establish a particular goal and direction for the coming year. On each of the next four days, representatives from the four working Commissions of the Council will each gather with the Pastoral Team and discuss accomplishments, failures from the past year and plan to meet newly determined needs in relation to the Council's suggestions and discussions.

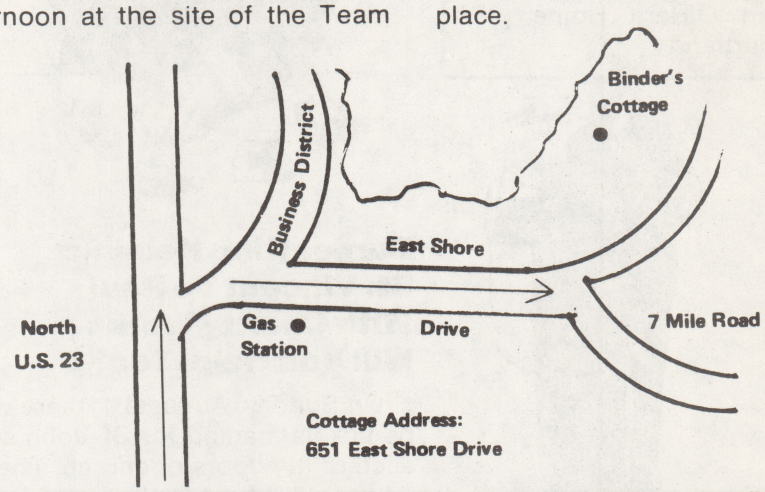
The Administration Commission has chosen to meet on Monday evening. The Service Commission will gather on Tuesday evening. Members of St. John School Board of Education will assemble on Wednesday evening. On Thursday evening, the Worship Commission plans to be present. All Commission meetings will begin at 7:30 P.M.

From our past experience, the value of these days spent in long and short range planning has been most evident to many, especially to the members of the Team in their ministry and service to this parish.

Due to the special days upcoming, a few minor adjustments in schedule are necessary. A morning prayer service including the distribution of Holy Communion will be conducted by seminarian Gregg Pleiness each morning at 7:00 A.M. in place of the Mass. We plan to celebrate the Eucharist each day at approximately 4:30 in the afternoon at the site of the Team meeting. (Intentions for the concelebrated Liturgy are printed in this paper.) Parishioners are welcome to join us at that time. Any emergency calls may still be handled through the rectory. The staff will be available to serve you as usual.

May I ask that you remember the efforts of this coming week in your daily prayer as we seek to serve Him more faithfully?

A map is printed below designating directions to the Binder cottage where all meetings will take place.



NINETEENTH SUNDAY: August 10, 1975

We know how to walk on water.
Poor Peter. He never heard of water skis.
But Peter knew how to get out of the depths:
reach out for Jesus' hand.

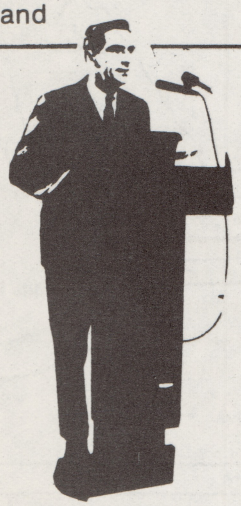
Holyday Masses
Feast of the Assumption of Mary
Friday, August 15
7:00 and 9:00 A.M.
4:00, 6:00 & 8:00 P.M.

Scripture Readings

Readings for Sunday, August 10
1 Kgs. 19; 9, 11-13
Rom. 9; 1-5
Mt. 14; 22-23
Readings for Sunday, August 17
Is. 56; 1, 6-7
Rom. 11; 13-15, 29-32
Mt. 15; 21-28

Commentators & Lectors Important Meeting Reminder

When: Tuesday, August 19
Time: 8:00 P.M.
Where: Nan O'Hara Home, 479 Courtland



You Can Help

Mary Dawson is back at the Veterans' Hospital for a few weeks for further therapy. Mail call is eagerly awaited - her address is Room 1005, Ward 10 A North, Veterans' Hospital, Wood (Milwaukee), Wisconsin 53193.

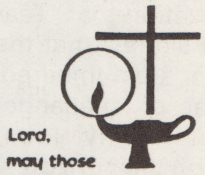
Auction Coming Soon

Another project of St. Vincent de Paul will be an Auction to be held on Saturday, September 6, at 11:00 A.M. In order to have more items for this sale, we are asking that any of you who have furniture, appliances, large items, dishes, etc., that could be used, bring them to Needham Hall so repairs can be made and items readied for that day. If it is impossible to get your items here, please call White's, 485-4348 and ask for pick-up service. We will try to locate a truck to make all pick-ups on the same day. Incidentally, if anyone owns a truck and wouldn't mind helping make the rounds, we would certainly appreciate knowing that also.

Jack and Chris White, Joe and Nancy DeVooght, Bob and Pat Evans, Dave and Gloria Herrman of the SVDP Executive Committee thank all who helped make this a good year for helping others. Your charity in giving has been appreciated by more people in Washtenaw County than you could ever know. We thank you for them.

Burger King Helping St. Vincent de Paul With Charity Works Will You Help, Too?

On Sunday, August 24, there will be tickets marked for St. John's at each of the doors of church. These tickets will entitle the bearer to have a free double-meat hamburger at **Burger King on Washtenaw** on that day. You may take one ticket per person you know will use it. Whatever you purchase over and above this burger will bring 50% to the St. Vincent de Paul works of our parish. We urge that you support this special project. The more support from you, the more Burger King will return to us. Why not plan on taking the family out on Sunday, August 24, to enjoy yourselves and to help with the charity works of the parish ... think about it.



Lord,
may those
whom You have called
home
rest in the radiance
of heaven's light +

In the Peace of Christ

A long-time member of our community was buried last Tuesday, August 5, 1975. Helen M. Brown, widow of James "Bing" Brown, died on Saturday, August 2, in Houston, Texas. The Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated by Fr. Harvey in our church with burial in our parish cemetery.

Helen is survived by one daughter, Dr. Mary Kimbrough, two grandchildren and one sister.

Music for the funeral Liturgy was supplied by Miss Marie Stachlewitz, organist and Mrs. Nancy Wagner, lector and soloist.

May Helen live in the peace of Christ!

Still A Need

There are still a **few more women needed** to help with the catering of the wedding to be held at St. John's on Saturday, August 16. We need help with serving and coffee, etc., beginning at 5:30 that evening and for a few hours. Please call 483-3360 if you have some time to offer that day.

Mass Schedule

MONDAY, August 11 - St. Clare, Virgin
7:00 AM Prayer Service and Distribution of Holy Communion
2:30 PM No Mass at Parkview
4:30 PM (Celebrated at Team Week) Special Intention of Tom Brinson req. by DeEtte Boelter
Florence E. Long. req. by her Husband and Son

TUESDAY, August 12 - Weekday
7:00 AM Prayer Service and Distribution of Holy Communion
4:30 PM (Celebrated at Team Week) George J. Max, req. by Mrs. George J. Max
Mary O'Connor, req. by Bob Southard, Jr.

WEDNESDAY, August 13
7:00 AM Prayer Service and Distribution of Holy Communion
4:30 PM (Celebrated at Team Week) Oliver Pinsoneault, req. by Dorothy Pinsoneault
Fred & Kim Gillman, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Dunkelberger

THURSDAY, August 14 - Weekday
7:00 AM Prayer Service and Distribution of Holy Communion
4:30 PM (Celebrated at Team Week) Frank Panek, req. by Mrs. Frank Panek
Harold Lonskey, req. by Mrs. Julia C. Howser

FRIDAY, August 15 - Assumption of Mary - **Holyday**
7:00 AM Thomas O'Dea, Birthday Anniv., req. by Mrs. Dorothy O'Dea
9:00 AM George Binder, req. by Doreen & Dick Binder
4:00 PM Intention of Parishioners
6:00 PM Fr. Edward G. Donahoe, Priest's Pact
8:00 PM Henry Heim, Anniv., req. by Father Harvey

SATURDAY, August 16 - Weekday
9:00 AM No Mass
11:00 AM Nuptial Mass of Kenneth J. Chard and Julianne Gambka
5:00 PM Lenore Draper, req. by Winifred and Jim Keegan
6:30 PM Wedding of Gary Sleek and Colleen Dobson

SUNDAY, August 17
7:00 AM Louis Slowik, req. by his Wife and Family
9:00 AM Ronald Blystone, req. by Marge Walters & Family
11:00 AM Steven Willits, req. by Rosalind Vernarsky & Rachelle Tomalak
12:30 PM Intention of Parishioners

The Following Masses Will Be Offered By the Priests at the U. of M. Hospital

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Mueller, req. by the Family (10 Masses)

Patrick Joseph Brown, req. by John Massoglia & Family

Patrick Joseph Brown, req. by Dottie & Phil Michelin

Patrick Joseph Brown, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Thelin

Patrick Joseph Brown, req. by Margaret & Ray Russell

Patrick Joseph Brown, req. by Giles & Mary Ann Wieber

H. Lenore Draper, req. by Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Kramer, Sr.

H. Lenore Draper, req. by Olive Griffin

H. Lenore Draper, req. by Mildred Sark

H. Lenore Draper, req. by Lois & Flora Hatfield

H. Lenore Draper, req. by Helen & John Howard

Wedding Banns

III - Kenneth J. Chard and Julianne Gambka

III - Gary Sleek and Colleen Dobson

II - John Ceo and Pamela Vanover

I - Bruce M. Walker and Ghislaine J. Gilles

Financial Barometer August 3, 1975

Sunday Offering	$2,719.81
Hall Renovation	75.00

Service Commission of St. John's Financial Report For Year Ended June 30, 1975

BALANCE 7/1/74	**$1,725.40**
INCOME:	
Funeral Dinners	$ 200.00
Receptions	151.14
Sunday Dinners	969.15
Dances	2,393.93
Bazaar	1,857.20
Fund Raising Dinners	1,067.25
Bake Sales	690.85
Coffee and Donuts	391.07
Renovation	278.00
E.W. Schmidt	67.03
Organizations	18.82
TOTAL INCOME	$9,809.84
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Funeral Dinners	$ 91.15
Receptions	427.01
Sunday Dinners	565.75
Dances	1,155.40
Bazaar	65.70
Fund Raising Dinners	415.24
Coffee and Donuts	258.34
Renovation	4,222.09
E.W. Schmidt	296.70
Organizations	20.00
TOTAL	$7,517.38
OTHER EXPENSES:	
Tickets/Advertising	$ 98.75
Food (Coffee, Sugar, etc.)	240.46
Office & Misc. Supplies	129.88
Babysitting	23.10
Donations	25.00
Inter-Faith Council of Churches	500.00
Meals on Wheels	198.53
Problem Pregnancy	100.00
National Council of Catholic Women	28.00
Veterans' Hospital	5.56
TOTAL	$1,349.28
TOTAL EXPENSES	$8,866.66
TOTAL INCOME	$9,809.84
TOTAL EXPENSES	8,866.66
BANK BALANCE	$ 943.18

Service Commission Bingo Fund

BALANCE 6/30/74	
REVENUE	**$ 3,357.20**
July	**2,686.26**
August	**2,942.40**
September	**3,148.16**
October	**3,468.59**
November	**3,196.98**
December	**1,875.82**
January	**4,366.10**
February	**4,684.30**
March	**5,203.77**
April	**6,619.09**
May	**4,244.53**
June	**4,470.88**
TOTAL REVENUE	**$50,264.08**
DISBURSEMENTS:	
July	**$ 1,653.51**
August	**2,654.91**
September	**2,896.44**
October	**3,065.62**
November	**2,544.80**
December	**5,166.58***
January	**3,511.10**
February	**3,585.28**
March	**6,727.87***
April	**5,084.21**
May	**3,436.76**
June	**7,093.14***
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	**$47,420.22**

*Months in which money was given towards the debt.

Amount given for the year 1974-75 Totals $10,000.00

TOTAL REVENUE	**$50,264.08**
TOTAL DISBURSEMENT	**47,420.22**
BALANCE	**$ 2,843.86**
CHANGE FUND	**$ 497.00**
MONEY ON DEPOSIT	**$ 2,346.86**

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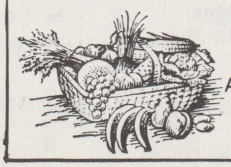
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